MAYOR & COUNCIL AGENDA COVER SHEET

MEETING DATE:

March 6, 2006

CALL TO PODIUM:

Wally DeBord Public Services Director

RESPONSIBLE STAFF:

James D. Arnoult

AGENDA ITEM:

(please check one)

	Presentation	_
_	Proclamation/Certificate	_
	Appointment	_
	Public Hearing	
	Historic District	_
	Consent Item	
	Ordinance	
X	Resolution	_
	Policy Discussion	_
	Work Session Discussion Item	_
	Other:	

PUBLIC HEARING HISTORY:

(Please complete this section if agenda item is a public hearing)

Introduced	
Advertised	
Hearing Date	
Record Held Open	
Policy Discussion	

TITLE:

Resolution of the Mayor and City Council Authorizing the City Manager to Enter Into a Contract to Purchase Seven (7) 2006 Ford Crown Victoria Police Vehicles (\$ 143,220)

SUPPORTING BACKGROUND:

Police vehicle units 7767, 7770, 7771, 7775 and 7776 are approaching the end of their useful service life. Due to their age, condition, mileage and/or reliability, these vehicles need to be replaced. Once the replacement vehicles are ready for service, these five vehicles will either replace current support vehicles or be sold at public auction. We would also like to purchase two additional police vehicles that were approved in the 2006 Operating Budget.

We would like to participate in the State of Maryland Statewide Contract, purchase order number 001B6900247, and purchase seven Ford Crown Victoria Police Vehicles. Funds for the vehicles are to be expended from the Vehicle Equipment Replacement Fund and the Operating Budget.

DESIRED OUTCOME:

Approve Resolution

Resolution Request Form

REQUEST FORM FOR RESOLUTIONS PERTAINING TO EXPENDITURES FROM THE CITY BUDGET (CONTRACTS/PURCHASES, TRANSFER FUNDS)

(Please attach the Mayor and Council Agenda Cover Sheet to this Form. For contracts/purchases, the Cover Sheet MUST include a list of all bidders and bid amounts.)

Requested by:	James D. Arnoult	Date of City Council	Meeting: March 6, 2006
<u>AUTHORIZING</u>			
PurchaseX	Award Contract	Transfer Funds	Negotiate/ Execute a Contract
BID INFORMATION	<u>N:</u>		
Advertisement Date	e State	of Maryland contract pur	chase order # 001B6900247
Newspaper(s)			
Bids Opened/Tabul	ated (date)		
DESCRIPTION OF (Be specific; include	ITEM(S): e quantity, item name, m	odel number, etc.)	
Seven (7) 2006 For Purchase Order # 0	d Crown Victoria Police 01B6900247.	Vehicles per State of Ma	aryland contract
CONTRACTED/PU	RCHASE FROM:		
Company Name:	Norris Ford		
Street Address:	901 Merritt Blvd.		
P. O. Box Number_			
City/State/Zip:	Baltimore, M.D. 2122	2	
CONTRACT/PURC	HASE AMOUNT:	\$143,220.00	
Check One:	In the Amount of	X Not to Exceed	
FUNDS TO BE EXF	PENDED FROM: Vehicle perating Budget X	e Replacement Fund _	X Capital Improvements
Account Nui	(2) Operating	quipment Replacement Budget 1211-596000 (\$4 rartment use only; not to be includ	
/ERIFICATION OF	AVAILABILITY OF FUR	NDS Available	Not available
		July 1	31, 12006

RESOL	.UTION	NO.	

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT TO PURCHASE SEVEN (7) 2006 FORD CROWN VICTORIA POLICE VEHICLES

WHEREAS, Section 57 of the City Charter provides that the City Council may permit negotiations of contracts without sealed bids for products and services, where in the opinion of the Council, the interests of the City would be best served by negotiated contracts; and

WHEREAS, it is recommended that seven (7) 2006 Ford Police Vehicles be purchased and the City wishes to participate in the State of Maryland Statewide Contract, purchase order number 001B6900247, to purchase said equipment:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of Gaithersburg, that the City Manager be and he hereby is authorized to award a contract to purchase seven (7) 2006 Ford Crown Victoria Police Vehicles from Norris Ford, 901 Merritt Blvd., Baltimore, Maryland 21222, in the amount of One Hundred Forty-Three Thousand Two Hundred Twenty Dollars (\$ 143,220); said funds to be expended from the Vehicle and Equipment Replacement Fund and the Operating Budget.

ADOPTED by the Mayor and City Council this 6th day of March, 2006.

SIDNEY A. KATZ. MAYOR and President of the Council

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the foregoing Resolution was adopted by the City Council in public meeting assembled on the 6th day of March, 2006.

David B. Humpton, City Manager